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## TYPE OF DECLARATION

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# INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

# TITLE OF INVENTION

# SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ROUTER QUEUE AND CONGESTION MANAGEMENT

# SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification of which:

(a)	$\boxtimes$	is attached hereto.	
(b)		was filed on, as □ Serial No. 0 / or	
		and was amended on (if applied	able).
(c)		was described and claimed in PCT International Application No.	filed
		on	
		and as amended under PCT Article 19 on	(if
		any).	

# SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.67(b))

□ I h	ereby declare that the subject matter of the
	attached amendment
	amendment filed on
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I hereby s	state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified ading the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.
I acknowle 37, Code of Federa	edge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in al Regulations, $\S$ 1.56,
	compliance with this duty, there is attached an information disclosure statement, in cordance with 37 CFR 1.98.
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(d) 🛮 n	o such applications have been filed.
(e)	uch applications have been filed as follows.
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# PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) FILED WITHIN 12 MONTHS (6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS APPLICATION AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d)

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			[ ] Yes	[ ] No	
			[]Yes	[ ] No	
			[]Yes	[ ] No	

# CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S) (35 U.S.C. § 119(e))

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